



Reply to Attn of: OP-ES

June 20, 2009

To: Prospective Offerors

Subject: Request for Proposal (RFP) NNNK09289054R, Vehicle Assembly Building Access Platforms and Emergency Egress in High Bay 3 to support Constellation Launch Operations.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), Kennedy Space Center (KSC), is pleased to release this RFP for this Acquisition. This RFP will result in the award of a contract for fabrication, construction and installation of twenty-two (22) new horizontally translating platforms (sliding platforms) along with the support structure, accesses, utilities, utility services and fire protection systems and associated emergency egress. The new platforms are to be fabricated and installed to provide 360 degree access to the Crew Launch Vehicle in High Bay 3 of the VAB at the elevations indicated in the contract drawings.

Selection of a contractor will be based on best value trade-offs between relevant experience/past performance and price factors with relevant experience/past performance being equal to price.

This procurement is being conducted as a full and open competition. All offers from those firms regardless of size will be accepted. The NAICS code for this procurement is 238120 and the small business size standard is \$33.5M respectively.

In accordance with the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Subpart 4.1104 and NASA FAR Supplement (NFS) Subpart 1804.7400, all prospective contractors must be registered in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) System prior to award of a contract. Contractors are required to self-register and update the database annually. The preferred and most expedient method for registration is by registering electronically through the following website address:

<http://www.ccr.gov>

This RFP follows the uniform contract format outlined in Table 15-1 of FAR 15.204-1. Potential offerors are requested to pay special attention to Sections K, L, and M of the RFP as they contain important information relative to this acquisition.

- (a) Section K, entitled "Representations, Certifications, and Other Statements of Offerors or Respondents" identifies information that must be represented,

certified, and/or submitted by offerors. Offerors are required to complete annual representations and certifications electronically via the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA) website at:

<http://orca.bpn.gov>

After reviewing the ORCA database information, offerors must verify the representations and certifications currently posted have been entered or updated within the last 12 months, are current, accurate, complete, and applicable to NAICS code 238120 (including the applicable business size standard), as of the date of the offer and incorporated in the offer by reference.

- (b) Section L, entitled "Instructions, Conditions, and Notices to Offerors or Respondents" contains information and instructions on the preparation and submission of proposals.
- (c) Section M, entitled "Evaluation Factors for Award" identifies the criteria that the Government will utilize to evaluate proposals.

Questions regarding this RFP must be submitted in writing on the Question/Comment form provided as Appendix 2 to Section L of the RFP, to:

Name: Tyrone Frey
FAX: 321-867-1166
email: tyrone.j.frey@nasa.gov
Address: OP-ES
Kennedy Space Center, FL 32899

Oral questions will not be accepted. Questions or comments shall be submitted by October 1, 2009. If questions are submitted, the Government will answer them and post the questions and answers on the NASA Acquisition Internet Service (NAIS). Any questions that result in changes to the RFP will be communicated through an amendment to the RFP that will be posted on the NAIS website. It is the offeror's responsibility to monitor the NAIS website for any announcements relative to this acquisition.

Offerors must submit proposals to the Central Industry Assistance Office (CIAO), 7110 N. Courtenay Pkwy, Merritt Island, FL 32953 in accordance with RFP Provision L.3, "Delivery Instructions for Bids/Proposals". Proposals must be received before 3:00 P.M. October 15, 2009. Proposals that arrive after the prescribed time for receipt of proposals shall be considered late and treated in accordance with FAR 52.215-1, "Instructions to Offerors-Competitive Acquisitions."

The information provided in this cover letter is not intended to be construed differently from the information in the RFP. Should an apparent conflict in the interpretation exist, the information in the RFP should be considered to take precedence.


This solicitation neither commits the Government to pay any costs incurred in the submission of the offer or in making necessary studies or designs for preparing the offer, nor to contract for services or supplies. Any cost incurred in anticipation of a contract shall be at the offeror's own risk.

Tyrone Frey
Contracting Officer

Enclosure:
Request for Proposal

SOLICITATION, OFFER, AND AWARD <i>(Construction, Alteration, or Repair)</i>	1. SOLICITATION NO. NNK09289054R	2. TYPE OF SOLICITATION <input type="checkbox"/> SEALED BID (IFB) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NEGOTIATED (RFP)	3. DATE ISSUED 07/20/2009	PAGE OF PAGES 1 103	

IMPORTANT – The "offer" section on the reverse must be fully completed by offeror.

4. CONTRACT NO.		5. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQUEST NO. 4200289054	6. PROJECT NO. PCN:98600
7. ISSUED BY NASA/John F. Kennedy Space Center Office of Procurement MAIL CODE OP KENNEDY SPACE CENTER FL 32899	CODE KSC	8. ADDRESS OFFER TO Tyrone Frey, Contracting Officer REF: NNK09289054 Central Industry Assistance Office Merritt Island, FL, 32953	
9. FOR INFORMATION CALL:  a. NAME Tyrone Frey		b. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code) (NO COLLECT CALLS) 321-867-9162	

SOLICITATION

NOTE: In sealed bid solicitations "offer" and "offeror" mean "bid" and "bidder."

10. THE GOVERNMENT REQUIRES PERFORMANCE OF THE WORK DESCRIBED IN THESE DOCUMENTS (Title, identifying no., date)

The tasks to be performed are described in Section B, Supplies or Services and Prices, and in the technical documents listed in Section J, List of Documents, Exhibits and Other Attachments.

The Magnitude of Construction is more than \$ 10,000,000

The NAICS Code and small business size standard for this procurement are 238120 and \$13M, respectively.

THIS IS AN UNRESTRICTED ACQUISITION. THIS AWARD IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO THE SMALL BUSINESS COMPETITIVENESS DEMONSTRATION PROGRAM (REFERENCE FAR SUBPART 19.10). THIS IS AN UNRESTRICTED ACQUISITION.

An organized Site Visit has been scheduled for this project, please see Section L.4.

11. The Contractor shall begin performance <u>60</u> calendar days and complete it within <u>618</u> calendar days after receiving <u>FAR 52.211-10</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> award, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> notice to proceed. The performance period is <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mandatory <input type="checkbox"/> negotiable. (See <u>FAR 52.211-10</u>)	
12a. THE CONTRACTOR MUST FURNISH ANY REQUIRED PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS? (If "YES", indicate within how many calendar days after award in Item 12b.) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	12b. CALENDAR DAYS 5
13. ADDITIONAL SOLICITATION REQUIREMENTS:	
a. Sealed offers in original and <u>3</u> copies to perform the work required are due at the place specified in Item 8 by <u>1530</u> (hour) local time <u>10/15/2009</u> (date). If this is a sealed bid solicitation, offers will be publicly opened at that time. Sealed envelopes containing offers shall be marked to show the offeror's name and address, the solicitation number, and the date and time offers are due.	
b. An offer guarantee <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is, <input type="checkbox"/> is not required.	
c. All offers are subject to the (1) work requirements, and (2) other provisions and clauses incorporated in the solicitation in full text or by reference.	
d. Offers providing less than <u>100</u> calendar days for Government acceptance after the date offers are due will not be considered and will be rejected.	

OFFER (Must be fully completed by offeror)

14. NAME AND ADDRESS OF OFFEROR (Include ZIP Code)

15. TELEPHONE NO. (Include area code)

16. REMITTANCE ADDRESS (Include only if different than item 14.)

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FACILITY CODE

17. The offeror agrees to perform the work required at the prices specified below in strict accordance with the terms of this solicitation, if this offer is accepted by the Government in writing within _____ calendar days after the date offers are due. (Insert any number equal to or greater than the minimum requirement stated in item 13d. Failure to insert any number means the offeror accepts the minimum in item 13d.)

AMOUNTS

18. The offeror agrees to furnish any required performance and payment bonds.

19. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF AMENDMENTS

(The offeror acknowledges receipt of amendments to the solicitation - give number and date of each)

AMENDMENT NO.										
DATE.										

20a. NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN OFFER (Type or print)

20b. SIGNATURE

20c. OFFER DATE

AWARD (To be completed by Government)

21. ITEMS ACCEPTED:

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22. AMOUNT		23. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA	
24. SUBMIT INVOICES TO ADDRESS SHOWN IN (4 copies unless otherwise specified)		ITEM	25. OTHER THAN FULL AND OPEN COMPETITION PURSUANT TO <input type="checkbox"/> 10 U.S.C. 2304(c) () <input type="checkbox"/> 41 U.S.C. 253(c) ()
26. ADMINISTERED BY NASA/Kennedy Space Center Office of Procurement MAIL CODE OP KENNEDY SPACE CENTER FL 32899		27. PAYMENT WILL BE MADE BY	

CONTRACTING OFFICER WILL COMPLETE ITEM 28 OR 29 AS APPLICABLE☐ 28. NEGOTIATED AGREEMENT(Contractor is required to sign this document and return 3 copies to issuing office.)

Contractor agrees to furnish and deliver all items or perform all work requirements identified on this form and any continuation sheets for the consideration stated in this contract. The rights and obligations of the parties to this contract shall be governed by (a) this contract award, (b) the solicitation, and (c) the clauses, representations,

☐ 29. AWARD

(Contractor is not required to sign this document.)

Your offer on this solicitation is hereby accepted as to the items listed. This award consummates the contract, which consists of (a) the Government solicitation and your offer, and (b) this contract award. No further contractual document is necessary.

30a. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTOR OR PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN (Type or print)

31a. NAME OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)

Roy M. Colvin II

30b. SIGNATURE

30c. DATE

31b. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

31c. DATE

BY

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BLOCK 20D:

(1) IF THE OFFEROR IS A JOINT VENTURE, EACH PARTICIPANT IN THE JOINT VENTURE MUST COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

_____ Company Name	_____ Signature	_____ Title
_____ Company Name	_____ Signature	_____ Title
_____ Company Name	_____ Signature	_____ Title

NOTE: If a corporation is participating as a member of a Joint Venture, the certificate below must also be completed and signed.

CORPORATION AUTHORIZATION TO PARTICIPATE IN JOINT VENTURE CERTIFICATE

I, _____, certify that I am the Secretary of the
(name)
corporation named as a participant in a Joint Venture on this offer;
that _____, who signed said offer on behalf of the
(name)

Corporation, was then _____ of said corporation; that the
(title)

signature thereto is genuine; that said contract was duly signed, sealed and attested for and in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body; and that the corporation is authorized to participate in the Joint Venture on this offer.

(Name of Corporation)

(Secretary)

(2) IF THE OFFEROR IS A PARTNERSHIP, LIST FULL NAME OF ALL PARTNERS BELOW. SIGNATURES BY ALL PARTNERS HERE SIGNIFY THAT THE INDIVIDUAL WHO SIGNED THE OFFER IN BLOCK 20B HAS THE AUTHORITY TO BIND THE PARTNERSHIP.

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

Name

Signature

CONTINUATION OF STANDARD FORM 1442

(3) IF THE OFFEROR IS A CORPORATION, THE OFFER SHALL BE SIGNED IN THE CORPORATE NAME FOLLOWED BY THE WORD "BY" AND THE SIGNATURE OF THE PERSON AUTHORIZED TO SIGN THE OFFER IN BLOCK 20B. PROVIDE PROOF THAT THE PERSON SIGNING FOR THE CORPORATION HAS THE AUTHORITY TO BIND THE CORPORATION BY COMPLETING THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATE:

CORPORATION AUTHORIZATION CERTIFICATE

I, _____, certify that I am the Secretary of
(name)

The corporation named as offeror in the within offer; that

_____,
(name)
who signed said offer on behalf of the corporation, was then
_____ of said corporation, that the signature
(title)
thereto is genuine; that said contract was duly signed, sealed and attested
for in behalf of said corporation by authority of its governing body.

(Name of Corporation)

(Secretary)

(4) IF THE OFFEROR IS AN INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS AS A FIRM, THE OFFER SHALL BE SIGNED BY THAT INDIVIDUAL IN BLOCK 20B FOLLOWED BY THE WORDS "AN INDIVIDUAL DOING BUSINESS AS _____
(INSERT NAME OF FIRM)

(5) WHEN AN AGENT SIGNS THE OFFER, PROVIDE PROOF OF THE AGENT'S AUTHORITY TO BIND THE PRINCIPAL.

CONTINUATION SHEET

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NAME OF OFFEROR OR CONTRACTOR

ITEM NO. (A)	SUPPLIES/SERVICES (B)	QUANTITY (C)	UNIT (D)	UNIT PRICE (E)	AMOUNT (F)
001	Fabrication, construction and installation of twenty-two (22) new horizontally translating platforms in High Bay 3 of the Vehicle Assembly Building (VAB), K6-848 in accordance with C.1, and drawing 10C00003 VAB Highbay 3 Platforms for Constellation (dated 5/1/09) and specification number 10C00005 VAB HB3 Platforms for Constellation (dated 6/23/09)				
002	Fabrication and construction of life safety exit passageways from the Crew Lift Vehicle (CLV) platforms located in High Bay 3 of the Vehicle Assembly Building (VAB), K6-848 in accordance with C.1, and drawing 10C00007 VAB HB3 Life Safety Egress for Constellation Platforms (dated 5/1/09) and specification number 10C00008 VAB HB3 Life Safety Egress for Constellation Platforms (dated 6/23/09)				